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Application No.: 10/776,637) Group Art Unit: 3767
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For: HOLLOW TUBE BODY FOR MEDICAL)
TOOL AND A CATHETER INTO WHICH)
THE HOLLOW TUBE BODY IS)
INCORPORATED)

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SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS

Further to the Office Action dated January 24, 2008 regarding the drawings Applicants respectfully submit herewith a Submission of Replacement Drawings including one (1) sheet of drawings, with Replacement Sheets for Figs. 2 and 3 to be substituted for the previously filed drawing sheets in the above-identified application. Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter is introduced by the replacement drawings.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of these drawings, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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